

CPO TNSmartShop Participant's Guide

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This training is focused on teaching users who will be using TNSmartShop for day to day purchasing. This training assumes that the user has basic knowledge of current purchasing processes and policies.



*Internet Explorer is the internet browser that best supports TNSmartShop.* 

# **Objectives**

- Administrate and use TNSmartShop for purchasing all contract and non-contract items that are located in the Edison item master, excluding generic assets.
- Successfully navigate through the TNSmartShop interface.
- Learn the shopping basics of TNSmartShop.
- Learn to use quick orders.
- Learn to use saved carts.
- Use the cart check out feature to bring the items selected in TNSmartShop into a requisition.

# What is TNSmartShop?

TNSmartShop is an intuitive online repository for procurement personnel designed to improve visibility, access and the utilization of statewide contracts. For internal users it will also include the contract and non-contract items that are located in the item master, excluding generic assets.

# The Benefits of Using TNSmartShop

- It allows you to create a requisition with multiple suppliers.
- It allows you to automatically dispatch purchase orders to a supplier.
- It allows you to search across multiple suppliers and catalogs.
- It allows you to save commonly purchased items in a saved cart.
- There is an item comparison feature, allowing you to compare all items in TNSmartShop.

# Creating an Edison Requisition using the TNSmartShop Web Tab

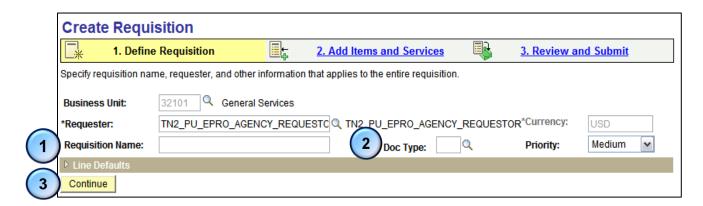
To create a Requisition, you must first be logged in to Edison. Once logged in you can navigate to creating a requisition by following the links below.



- 1. Click **FSCM**.
- 2. Click **eProcurement**.
- 3. Click Create Requisition.

# **Define Requisition**

This is the main page for creating a Requisition, and has links that will go to the various sections that need to be completed. The sections are grouped under three main tabs, and are highlighted in yellow.



Confirm that you business unit and your requester have defaulted correctly.

- 1. Enter a **Requisition Name** that will be easy for you to identify for future use.
- 2. Enter the **Doc Type**.
- 3. Click **Continue** to be automatically be brought to the **Add Items and Services** tab.

#### **Add Items and Services**



1. Click on the **Web** tab and select the **TNSmartShop Direct Connect** link. This will open up the TNSmartShop screen.

When you receive the security warning asking "Do you want to view only the webpage content that was delivered securely?" click **NO**.



## Navigating to TNSmartShop for Local Entity Users

For local entity users click on the link that is provided below to access TNSmartShop. Login using the User ID and Password you received when you registered.

http://tn.vinimaya.com/vmkt61/vsulogin.do?companyid=STTN



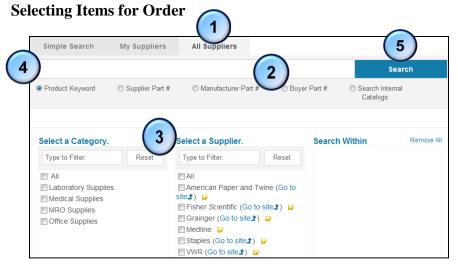
#### **TNSmartShop Home Screen**

TNSmartShop is designed to be a process similar to online shopping. The home screen is used for searching. Items can be searched for by keyword, supplier part number, manufacturer part number or Edison ID. Along the top of the screen are additional features including: product search, order type, promotions, and your cart.



The home screen contains two message boards, one along the left side of the screen and one in the area below the search bard. Message boards allow system administrators to present information about TNSmartShop.





Using the search formula below is the fastest way to find items in TNSmartShop.

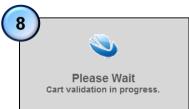
- 1. Click on the **All Supplier** link to search for your item.
- 2. Select the **Buyer Part** # radio button
- 3. Select the All checkbox to select the Contract Items and Non-Contract items
- 4. Type the Edison ID number into the search field.
- 5. Click **Search** to search for the item.



If necessary the results can be filtered using the actions on the left side of the screen. Enter additional search words in the Refine Search field to narrow down the selection. An example is included of refining the search from gloves, including medium, and then premium. The filter can also be used for price of items, by selecting a range of price for the item. Items can be sorted by price either low to high or high to low. There is drop down menu with keywords that are relative to the items. The results can also be narrowed by deselecting any unwanted suppliers.

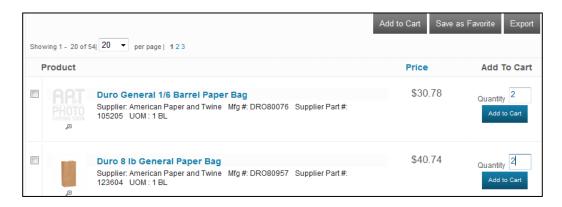


- 6. Enter the correct quantity.
- 7. Click Add to Cart.
- 8. A pop-up will appear saying "Please Wait Cart Validation in Progress". Wait until this pop-up goes away to proceed.



Repeat steps 2-7 to add all necessary items to the cart.

To add more than one item at time the user can put the quantity in all of the desired fields and then click Add to Cart at the top of the screen.



Once you click Add to Cart, the screen will refresh and provide you with a confirmation that the items have been added to your Shopping Cart. This message also provides a link to the shopping cart if the user is done shopping.

Item(s) successfully added to cart. (Click here to view your cart)

Once all necessary items have been added to the order go to your cart to finalize the order.

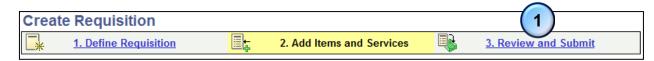
9. Click on the icon. This will bring the user to the cart summary screen.



From this screen you will be able to change quantities or remove items from your cart. When updating any cart information it is important to click Update Cart. This cart can also be saved for later use by clicking Save Cart.

10. Click Checkout to return to the Edison Add Items and Services screen.

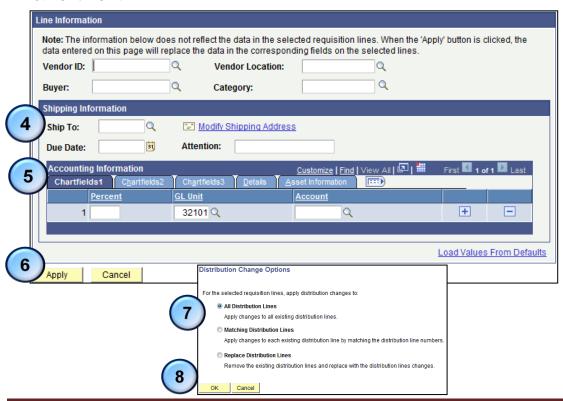
#### **Review and Submit**



1. Click on the Review and Submit tab to finalize your requisition.



- 2. Click the Select All/Deselect All link to select all lines.
- 3. Click the Modify Line/Shipping/Accounting link.
- 4. Enter Shipping information in the Ship To field.
- 5. Enter all necessary accounting codes in the Accounting Information field.
- 6. Click Apply.
- 7. Select which lines the information applies to.
- 8. Click OK.





Enter all necessary Justifications and Comments for the requisition.

Click Save & Preview Approvals. Confirmation 9. Write down the requisition id. tn das00 Number of Lines: Requested For: 10. Click Check Budget. Requisition Name: outboard motor-nashville **Total Amount:** 30,000.00 USD equisition ID: Justification: 0000021249 11. Click Submit. training-ac **Business Unit:** 32101 Priority: Medium The process is now completed and **Budget Status:** Not Checked the purchase order/purchase orders Submit Edit Requisition will automatically dispatch to the

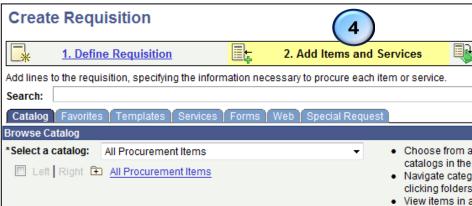
# **Navigating to Direct Connects**

Effective October 1<sup>st</sup> 2013, TN Smart Shop direct connect link found on the web tab in the Edison eProcurement module now combines all existing punch-out suppliers into a single online repository for an easy to use option for catalog purchasing. This means that the web links for the punch-out suppliers will now be located in TN Smart Shop.



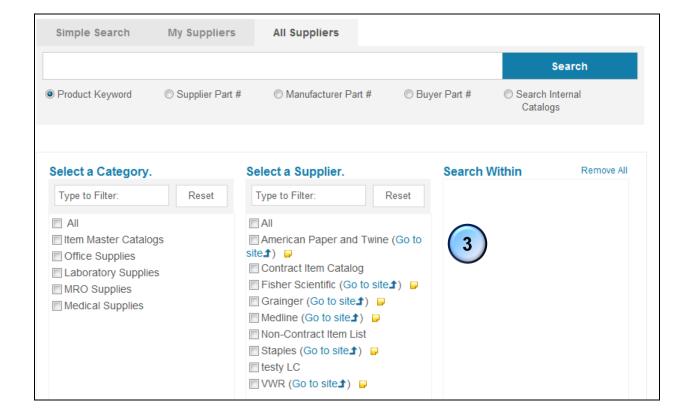
vendor/vendors.

- 1. Click FSCM
- 2. Click on E-procurement
- 3. Click on Create Requisition
- 4. Click on Add items and Services



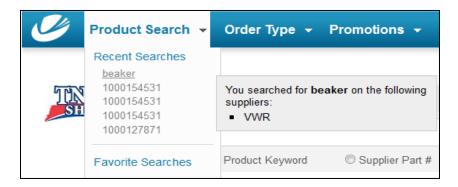


- 1. Click on the "Web" tab
- 2. Click on the TNSmartShop Link
- 3. Click on the "Go to site" link for the vendor's site you wish to visit.



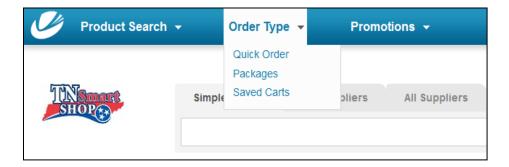
# **Product Search Dropdown**

This dropdown menu is used to show recent searches as well as saved searches. Click on the searches to run them. To see which supplier has been used in the same search, hover over any of the recent searches.



#### **Order Type Dropdown**

This dropdown menu is used to access Quick orders, Packages, and saved carts. These functions provide additional ordering options. Quick order allows the user to create a personal list, if the supplier or manufacturer part number is already known, without searching. The Packages feature allows the user to create a package of commonly ordered items. The Saved Cart feature allows the user to save a cart for future use, as TNSmartShop will not automatically save the items for the user.



#### **Quick Orders**

Quick Orders are NOT used at this time. Use the Saved Carts feature for repetitive orders.

#### **Packages**

Packages are NOT used at this time.

#### **Saved Carts**

Saved carts can be used in many ways including: storing frequently used items to reduce shopping time, beginning the process and completing it later, and cart sharing. Carts are saved

from the main cart screen by clicking the Save Cart button. To save a cart it must have a Cart Name and Cart Description. Enter this necessary information and then click Save Cart.



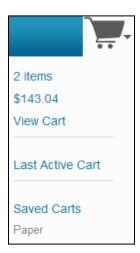
To save to an existing cart click the Add to Existing Save Cart button. Select a saved cart from the dropdown menu and then click Update Saved Cart.

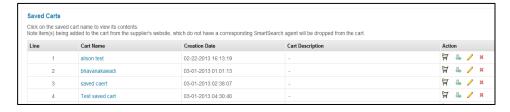


A message will then display telling the user that the cart has been saved.



To locate a saved cart click on the cart icon and click on saved carts or the desired saved cart if it is available. Below is an example of what the saved carts list looks like. Clicking the person icon shares the cart, clicking the pencil icon allows the user to edit the cart, and clicking the X icon deletes the cart.





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the Share Cart icon. Enter the user's email and then click



the Share button. Users can also be added to the Users list by entering their email and clicking Add to List.

HINT

Edison cart sharing is only available between users with valid email addresses in the Edison system. To verify that your email is entered correctly in Edison follow the provided navigation.

Favorites Main Menu > My System Profile

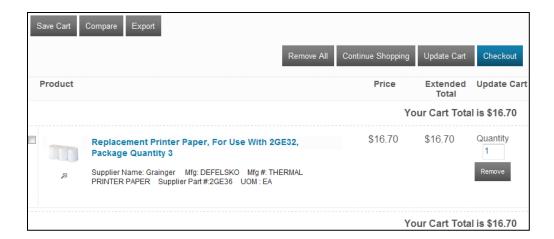


# **Shopping Cart Icon**

Hover over the shopping cart icon to view the number of items and the dollar value of the items in the current cart. This feature also allows you to view your Last Active Cart, which is the last cart you checked out. If you want to reorder the same items from your last purchase this is the quickest way to do so. The Saved Cart feature is also here, this can be used to quickly reorder items that are frequently bought.

## **Viewing the Shopping Cart**

By clicking directly on the cart icon the user can use a variety of features. The Save Cart feature allows you to save the contents of the cart and use them for or add them to future purchases. The Compare feature allows the user to compare items that are checked. You can also remove all items or remove items individually. The Continue Shopping and Update Cart features are also used on this screen. Click the Checkout button allows you to return to the Edison requisition with all of the selected items. These items will become lines.

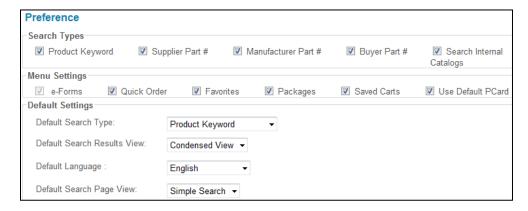




For local entities the checkout feature will also be used. When clicking checkout it will provide the user with a spreadsheet.

## My Settings

Click on the My Settings link to be brought to the Preference screen. This screen will allow the user to adjust settings.



#### **Using the Search Tabs**

There are three options when searching using TNSmartShop. The **first search option** is the **Simple Search** which will intelligently search based upon previous search results. This search allows the user to put in the description of the item that they are searching for and then click search. The user can also enter the Supplier part number, Manufacturer Part number, or the Edison Item ID as search criteria.



HINT The simple search will only pull items that have been purchased on TNSmartShop before, meaning that it may not pull every item that is available to the user. The Simple Search will get smarter the more TNSmartShop is used.

When completing a Simple Search it will pull all results for every word that is search. The best way in which to use simple search is to search for a main word and then use the Refine Search box to limit the results that are given.



The **second search option** is **My Suppliers**. This option allows you to save which suppliers you would like to search from.



When first using this screen it will be necessary to select any of the suppliers that you want to search and then click add to my suppliers. This will populate all of the selected suppliers on the My Suppliers screen. The Edit List feature allows you to edit the list, and the Reset Portlets feature allows the user to keep the changes.



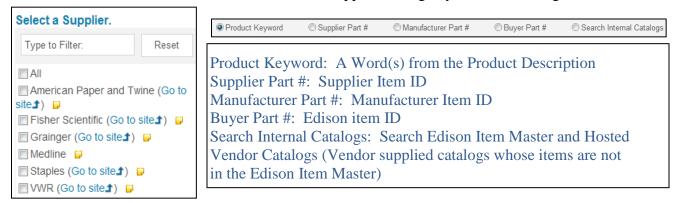


If the supplier has a yellow notepad icon next to it the user can click on it to receive additional information about the vendor. It contains vendor contact info, a copy of the contract, terms and conditions and specifications (when applicable).

The **third search option** is **All Suppliers**. This is the search method that should be used, as it is the most effective.



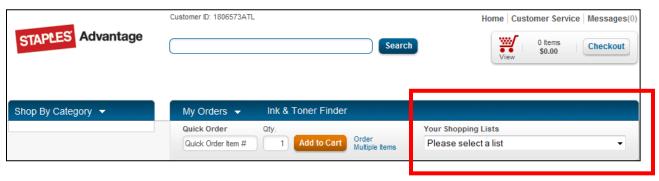
This search allows the user to search one or more suppliers using any of the following criteria:



TNSmartShop displays an icon for market basket or preferred items. Please see the green icon above the item description in the example below. For more information on the core/market basket items for each contract, contact the contract administrator.



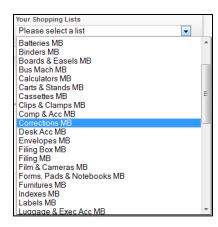
#### **STAPLES**



On the Staples website go to the Your Shopping Lists feature. This feature has all market basket items list be category. Select the category for your item and a list will populate with all market basket items for that specific category.

Once an item is selected, Staples indicates Market Basket items for TNSmartShop users using this icon.

Market Basket Item





## Saving a Search to Favorites

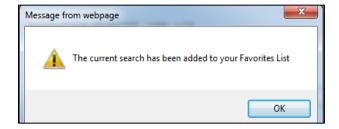
If the user expects to perform the same search and filter choices often, it can be saved for reuse. Once the search has been completed and the filters set click on the Save as Favorite link.



After click the Save as Favorites button a box will pop up allowing you to name the search. Name the search and then click Save.



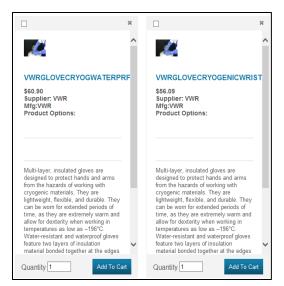
An additional pop up will appear tell the user that "The Current search has been added to your Favorites List".



# **Comparing Items**

Regardless of the search that is being done after pulling items they can be compared. To compare the item either drag the item image into one of the blank compare boxes, or check the box next to an item. Then click the compare button.





Comparing items will show more details about each item so you can more closely examine the differences between the items. From this screen you can either click Add To Cart or you can return to the search results.

# **Logging Out**

To log out of TNSmartShop without bringing any items into the requisition, click on the Logout link in the top right corner.

